

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Takaaki ABE, et al.

Application No.: 10/659,257

Filed: September 11, 2003


 Response Under 37 CFR 1.116 - Expedited Procedure
 Customer Number: 20277

Confirmation Number: 3549

Group Art Unit: 1745

Examiner: Karie Amber O'Neill

For: LAMINATE SHEET, LAMINATE BATTERY AND RELATED METHOD

 Mail Stop AF
 Commissioner for Patents
 P.O. Box 1450
 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☒ No additional fee is required.
☐ Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27
☐ Also attached:

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	14	20	0	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	4	4	0	\$200.00 =	\$0.00
Multiple dependent claims newly presented					\$0.00
Fee for extension of time					\$0.00
					\$0.00
Total of Above Calculations					\$0.00

- ☐ Please charge my Deposit Account No. 500417 in the amount of \$0.00. An additional copy of this transmittal sheet is submitted herewith.
- ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

Respectfully submitted,

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Sir:

The following amendments and remarks are submitted in response to the final Office

Action dated February 8, 2007, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.116.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2.

Remarks begin on page 6.